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AUDIT REPORT

OF

SUPERIOR COURT IV

TIPPECANOE COUNTY, INDIANA

January 1, 2007 to December 31, 2007

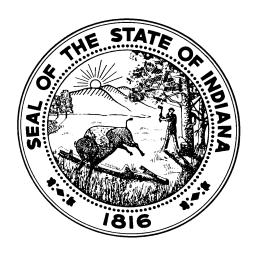




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COUNTY OFFICIALS

Office	<u>Official</u>	<u>Term</u>
Superior Court IV	Honorable Gregory J. Donat	01-01-03 to 12-31-08
President of the	Jeff Kemper	01-01-07 to 12-31-07
County Council	Tom P. Murtaugh	01-01-08 to 12-31-08
President of the Board of	KD Benson	01-01-07 to 12-31-07
County Commissioners	Ruth E. Shedd	01-01-08 to 12-31-08



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TO: THE OFFICIALS OF TIPPECANOE COUNTY

We have audited the records of the Superior Court IV for the period from January 1, 2007 to December 31, 2007, and certify that the records and accountability for cash and other assets are satisfactory to the best of our knowledge and belief, except as stated in the Audit Result and Comment. The financial transactions of this office are reflected in the Annual Report of Tippecanoe County for the year 2007.

STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTS

May 14, 2008

SUPERIOR COURT IV TIPPECANOE COUNTY AUDIT RESULT AND COMMENT

STATE AGENCIES - COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

Superior Court IV did not comply with directives of the Indiana Supreme Court Division of State Court Administration. The Division of State Court Administration provides an application guide for completion of the Report of Court Revenue. Superior Court IV incorrectly filed the Report on Court Revenue as follows:

- (1) "Other" County Revenues collected were reported as "Other" State Revenues.
- (2) The detail for "Other" fees generated was omitted.

Political subdivisions are required to comply with all grant agreements, rules, regulations, bulletins, directives, letters, letter rulings and filing requirements concerning reports and other procedural matters of federal and state agencies, including opinions of the Attorney General of the State of Indiana, and court decisions. Governmental units should file accurate reports required by federal and state agencies. Noncompliance may require corrective action. (Accounting and Uniform Compliance Guidelines Manual for Counties, Chapter 1)

SUPERIOR COURT IV TIPPECANOE COUNTY EXIT CONFERENCE

The contents of this report were discussed on May 14, 2008, with Debbie E. Tague, Superior Court IV Office Manager; Ruth E. Shedd, President of the Board of County Commissioners; Kevin L. Underwood, County Council member; and Jennifer Weston, Auditor.